Panaji, 2nd February, 2005 (Magha 13, 1926)

SERIES III No. 44

OFFICIAL GAZETTE

GOVERNMENT OF GOA

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Department of Home

Home-General Division

Office of the District Magistrate, North Goa District

Order

No. 4/1/92-MAG (III)

Under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973

To,

The Public Generally,

Whereas, it is apprehended that assemblies, processions and morchas are likely to be taken out during the Special Goa State Legislative Assembly Session commencing from 2.30 p. m. on 2-2-2005 which will not only pose a traffic problem but also cause disturbance to the peaceful functioning of the Assembly;

And Whereas, I am satisfied that adoption of immediate preventive measure is necessary for the maintenance of public peace and tranquility;

And Whereas, I am satisfied that there are sufficient grounds for proceeding under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 and that the circumstances do not admit of serving notice individually;

Now, Therefore, in exercise of the powers vested in me under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1973, I, A. B. Bhartu, District Magistrate of North Goa do hereby prohibit;

- (a) assembly and collection of five or more persons and taking out or organising of processions,
- (b) the carrying of firearms or weapons of offences such as lathis, swords, daggers or spears,
- (c) the use of loudspeakers,
- (d) the shouting of slogans,
- (e) burning of fire crackers at the petrol pumps & at the venues of meetings, etc.

in any public places, streets, roads, square, thoroughfare, by-lane or in any open space within 300 mts. around the New Assembly Complex at Porvorim and further direct the above restrictions shall not apply to public servants on duty and to bonafide marriage or funerals processions or any special occasions which in the opinion of the District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Magistrate is genuine and for which prior permission in writing has been obtained from the District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate or the Sub-Divisional Magistrate concerned.

Further, it is also ordered that the jurisdiction of the Section 144 of the Cr. P. C. 1973 promulgated now, shall also extend to the whole of North Goa District and will come into force w. e. f. 9.00 a. m. of 02-02-2005 and shall remain in force till 11.00 p. m. of 03-02-2005.

Given under my hand and seal of this Office, this 1st day of February, 2005.

A. B. Bhartu,
District Magistrate,
North Goa District, Panaji.